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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Lappat, Hans; Uglorz, Helmut; Ulmer, Michael; Wilsdorf, Gerd  
Application Number: 10/771660  
Filing Date: 02/04/2004  
Title: Domestic Appliance

Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST TO WITHDRAW PETITION UNDER 37CFR §1.183**

Dear Sir:

On March 17, 2006, Applicants filed petitions under 37 CFR §1.183 for fifty-one separate applications. Applicants hereby request to withdraw these petitions under 37 CFR §1.183 for all fifty-one of these applications listed on the attached Appendix. Applicants request that the surcharge fees from the previous petition under 37 CFR §1.183 for the fifty-one applications *not* be charged to Deposit Account 502786. Applicants also request that any fees already charged to Deposit Account 502786 in relation to the previous petition under 37 CFR §1.183 for the fifty-one applications be refunded to this account.

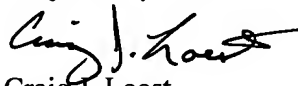
On April 26, 2006, Applicants filed a request for entry of additional Power of Attorney for these applications granting authority to all Practitioners associated with the Customer Number 000046726, including John T. Winburn, Russell W. Warnock, and Craig J. Loest.

Applicants will file a new petition for an unintentionally delayed priority claim under 37 CFR §1.78(a)(3) for all of these applications in a forthcoming document.

**CONCLUSION**

In view of the above, withdrawal of the petition under 37 CFR §1.183 filed March 17, 2006 is respectfully requested. Should the Director have any questions or require additional submissions to support this Petition and its granting, the Director is courteously requested to contact the undersigned at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**APPENDIX**

	Internal file reference	US Filing Date	Application number	Title	Inventor
1	2000P12017WOUS	04/24/2003	10/422224	ELECTRIC HEATING BODY	Mücke, Wolfgang; Peters, Bert
2	2000P12022WOUS	04/24/2003	10/422436	PORTHOLE DOOR FOR A FRONT-LOADING DRUM WASHING MACHINE	Geyer, Johannes; Held, Wolfgang; Kluge, Wilfried
3	2000P12028WOUS	04/24/2003	10/422210	METHOD FOR MECHANICAL CLEANING OF TEXTILES OR SOLID OBJECTS	Classen, Egbert
4	2000P12050WOUS	05/19/2003	10/441653	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR IRONING GARMENTS	Damrath, Joachim; Hafer, Christian; Knispel, Kristina; Redlin, Kathrin; Siegele, Sebastian; Spielmannleitner, Markus; Urich, Bodo; Wetzl, Gerhard
5	2000P13008WOUS	04/24/2003	10/422211	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINING THE DEPOSITS OF COMPONENTS FROM A LIQUID ON SURFACES, IN PARTICULAR LIQUID PUMPING MACHINES	Eiermann, Rüdiger
6	2000P13013WOUS	06/12/2003	10/459736	SYSTEM FOR DAMPING VIBRATIONS COMING FROM A MOTOR	Groll, Hubert; Hansson, Torbjörn; Rosenbauer, Michael; Schmidt, Herbert
7	2000P13023WOUS	05/13/2003	10/437548	Insert for a Dish Basket for An Automatic Dishwasher	Deiss, Ulrich; Fetzer, Gerhard; Heißler, Heinz; Rosenbauer, Michael
8	2000P13024WOUS	05/13/2003	10/437550	ARRANGEMENT FOR IMPROVING THE DRYING PERFORMANCE OF AN AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER	Deiss, Ulrich; Fetzer, Gerhard; Heißler, Heinz; Rosenbauer, Michael
9	2000P13026WOUS	06/25/2003	10/603531	FILTER	Jerg, Helmut
10	2000P13027WOUS	06/25/2003	10/603758	FILTER	Jerg, Helmut
11	2000P13034WOUS	06/25/2003	10/606008	DISHWASHER	Jerg, Helmut; Rosenbauer, Michael; Schessl, Bernd
12	2000P13035WOUS	06/25/2003	10/603759	WASHING CONTAINER FOR A DISH-WASHING MACHINE	Jerg, Helmut; Rosenbauer, Michael; Schessl, Bernd; Stickel, Ernst

13	2000P13038US01	10/26/2005	11/259579	METHOD FOR OPERATING A DISH WASHING MACHINE, AND A CORRESPONDING DISH WASHING MACHINE	Jerg, Helmut; Rosenbauer, Michael; Schessl, Bernd
14	2000P14032WOUS	06/12/2003	10/460441	SOLENOID VALVE FOR A COOLANT CIRCUIT	Kordon, Rolf
15	2000P16024WOUS	04/14/2003	10/413018	Cooking Device Door	Lebacher, Rainer; Roch, Klemens; Schnell, Wolfgang; Thaller, Christine; Wagner, Michael; Wilsdorf, Gerd
16	2000P16027WOUS	05/29/2003	10/449560	HIGH-LEVEL BUILT-IN OVEN UNIT	Bally, Ingo; Dengler, Klaus; Fleissner, Reinhard; Gerl, Josef; Hangl, Felix; Herbst, Johann; Hopfenmüller, Bernd; Kuttalek, Edmund; Mallinger, Peter; Rabenstein, Klaus; Roch, Klemens; Schnell, Wolfgang; Unterreiner, Christian; Wagner, Michael; Zimmermann, Christian
17	2000P16034WOUS	05/27/2003	10/445704	OVEN	Hasslberger, Robert; Lappat, Hans; Lebacher, Rainer; Lohner, Peter; Rabenstein, Klaus; Roch, Klemens; Schnell, Wolfgang; Thaller, Christine; Wagner, Michael
18	2001P11001WOUS	02/09/2004	10/774875	Electrical Plug Connector	Müller, Bernd
19	2001P12008WOUS	01/16/2004	10/758872	Process For Operating A Water-bearing Domestic Appliance And Domestic Appliance	Czyzewski, Gundula; Wöbkemeier, Martina
20	2001P13002WOUS	12/18/2003	10/739251	METHOD FOR CHECKING ELECTRICAL SAFETY OF A HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCE AND CORRESPONDING HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCE	Hering, Reinhard; Reiter, Bruno; Rosenbauer, Michael; Rothauszky, Christian
21	2001P13005WOUS	10/23/2003	10/692160	Device For Adjusting The Height Position Of A Dishware Basket Which Can Be Pulled Out From The Rinsing Container Of A Dishwasher	Deiss, Ulrich; Schessl, Bernd; Schütz, Rainer
22	2001P13009WOUS	12/10/2003	10/734054	Fire Protection Device For Domestic Appliances	Jerg, Helmut; Staedel, Stefan A.

23	2001P13010WOUS	12/18/2003	10/739625	FIRE PROTECTION DEVICE FOR DOMESTIC APPLIANCE	Jerg, Helmut; Staedel, Stefan A.
24	2001P13011WOUS	12/18/2003	10/740104	FIRE PROTECTION AND FIRE EXTINGUISHING DEVICE FOR DOMESTIC APPLIANCES	Jerg, Helmut
25	2001P13014WOUS	04/28/2004	10/833795	Roller retainer for dishwashers	Bühlmeyer, Alexander; Küçük, Cengiz
26	2001P13016WOUS	05/14/2004	10/845961	Two-Piece Washing Tank For A Dishwasher And A Method For Manufacturing A Two-Piece Washing Tank For Dishwashers	Amann, Klaus; Küçük, Cengiz; Oppel, Anton; Seeßle, Manfred; Stickel, Ernst; Thibaut, Wilhelm
27	2001P13021WOUS	06/21/2004	10/872662	Dishwasher	Eiermann, Rüdiger
28	2001P13022WOUS	06/21/2004	10/872599	Device For Controlling The Washing Process For Items To Be Washed In A Dishwasher	Jerg, Helmut; Rosenbauer, Michael; Schessl, Bernd
29	2001P13025WOUS	06/28/2004	10/879929	Device And Method For Collecting Wastewater in Dishwashers	Giefer, Heinz-Werner; Hechtl, Georg; Nannt, Hans-Peter; Sipple, Horst
30	2001P13027WOUS	06/28/2004	10/879928	Cutlery Basket For A Dishwasher	Kaczmarek, Wolfgang
31	2001P14024WOUS	02/09/2004	10/774984	Refrigeration Device And Operating Method For A Refrigeration Device	Becker, Wolfgang; Maier, Roland; Nuiding, Wolfgang
32	2001P14029WOUS	02/09/2004	10/774979	Combination Refrigerating Appliance and Evaporators For The Same	Nuiding, Wolfgang
33	2001P14034WOUS	02/27/2004	10/788569	REFRIGERATING APPLIANCE	Brachert, Rainer; Mayershofer, Christian; Reiter, Andreas; Schmidt, Rudolf; Stempfle, Anton
34	2001P15108WOUS	12/18/2003	10/739359	Device For Storing A Cable	Hamm, Silvio; Prell, Manfred
35	2001P15109WOUS	12/18/2003	10/739250	Cable-Pull Opening	Bott, Erich; Kemmerzell, Wolfgang
36	2001P15111WOUS	12/18/2003	10/740090	Vacuum Cleaner	Bott, Erich; Kemmerzell, Wolfgang
37	2001P15152WOUS	02/04/2004	10/771659	Fruit Press	Areh, Marko; Brezovnik, Peter; Mazej, Stanislav; Pavlovic, Henrik; Steffl, Michael; Zibret, Igor

38	2001P16014WOUS	11/07/2003	10/703238	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR LIMITING AND/OR CONTROLLING THE SURFACE TEMPERATURE OF A HOB	Blumenthal, Peter; Fuchs, Franz; Garcia, Jose-Andres; Huber, Johann; Marbach, Andreas; Neumayer, Dan; Ramones, Tonoha; Schweidler, Ernst; Steiner, Herbert; Stitzl, Bernd; Zeraschi, Monika; Zschau, Günter
39	2001P16019WOUS	12/10/2003	10/733911	Cooking Appliance With An Extractor Fan	Gerl, Josef
40	2001P16029WOUS	02/04/2004	10/771660	Domestic Appliance	Lappat, Hans; Uglorz, Helmut; Ulmer, Michael; Wilsdorf, Gerd
41	2001P16031WOUS	02/04/2004	10/771923	Cooking Device	Wilsdorf, Gerd
42	2001P16038WOUS	04/14/2004	10/824233	CATALYTIC COATING FOR THE SELF-CLEANING OF OVENS AND STOVES	Jördens, Frank; Salomon, Jürgen; Schmidmayer, Gerhard; Walter, Bernhard
43	2001P16046WOUS	05/18/2004	10/848609	Electric Domestic Appliance	Calis, Ursula; Garcia Jiménez, Jose Ramon; Lieb, Thomas; Seehuber, Hans; Stitzl, Bernd
44	2001P16047WOUS	05/18/2004	10/848194	Door Sealing Strip And Cooking Device	Gassner, Christian; Hasslberger, Robert; Wagner, Michael
45	2001P16124WOUS	04/21/2004	10/828674	COOKING DEVICE WITH HIGH-SPEED HEATING	Gramlich, Walter; Götz, Bernhard; Krüger, Werner
46	2001P16127WOUS	04/22/2004	10/829753	Lighting Device for Baking Oven	Gramlich, Walter; Götz, Bernhard
47	2001P16133WOUS	06/21/2004	10/872885	Extraction System for a Domestic Appliance, especially a Cooking Device	Erdmann, Klaus; Wiedenmann, Reinhard
48	2001P16159WOUS	02/04/2004	10/771670	FILTER DEVICE FOR AN EXHAUSTER HOOD	Rosmann, Dieter; Rückert, Wilfried; Schmid, Dietrich
49	2001P18006WOUS	02/09/2004	10/774978	Linen Treatment Device With Imbalance Monitoring, Level Monitoring, or Load Monitoring	Lorenz, Tilmann; Reitmeier, Willibald
50	2002P00073WOUS	07/23/2004	10/898599	Baking Oven	Has, Uwe; Lappat, Hans; Uglorz, Helmut; Ulmer, Michael
51	2002P00604WOUS	12/08/2004	11/007027	INDUCTION HOT PLATE COMPRISING HEATING REGIONS HAVING A RECONFIGURABLE STRUCTURE, AND METHOD FOR INCREASING THE MAXIMUM POWER OF SAID HEATING REGIONS	Esteras Duce, Ignacio; Monterde Aznar, Fernando; Rivera Pemán, Julio